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In re Application of:)
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For: **SEMICONDUCTOR INTEGRATED)
CIRCUIT DEVICE WITH ENHANCED)
RESISTANCE TO ELECTROSTATIC)
BREAKDOWN)**

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to the examination of the above-identified Application on the merits, please amend
this Application as follows: